Nathan Hale PTSA Meeting February 19, 2014

Meeting brought to order at 6:35 pm by Laura Weaver.

Attendance: Diane Schumitsch, Mary Schmidt, Laura Weaver, Matt Lesar, & Gena Kraemer.

Secretary Report January Minutes submitted by Gena Kraemer approved as is.

Treasurer Report: Mary Schmidt – see written report.

<u>Vice President Report</u>: Laura Weaver – need a nominating committee for President for a one year term. We will all be on the nominating committee; everyone should work to find someone to be President for 2014-15. Matt Lesar, Diane Schumitsch, Mary Schmidt & Gena Kraemer.

<u>Website/Newsletter:</u> Teacher Dinner will be Chili dump, Grebe's Valentine themed dessert. Scholarships deadline, advertise website & facebook.

<u>Winter Formal</u> – Diane Schumitsch – Everything has been purchased, & Diane has four helpers. Diane needs a key for the evening. Matt gives permission for Diane to hold onto the key. Leftovers will be used for the academic achievement picnic again.

<u>Academic Awards Night</u> – Diane Schumitsch – We just provide a check and we will not need to do anything else.

<u>Council Report</u> – Diane Schumitsch – One of the board members was voted off. Very interesting, Diane is investigating whether or not they got their scholarship money from WA-WM PTA Council. SEPTA was at council & would like to get a place on our agenda. We should have a rep from SEPTA at our meeting. Political Report from Kurt, Carnival was very well attended, lots of great cakes, check out the council website. Three To Get Ready is coming up on March 22.

<u>Principal Report:</u> Parent conferences are tomorrow night, 4:30pm – 8 pm. PTSA will provide dinner for the teachers. Winter formal is Saturday "The Roaring 20's" got a photo booth coming, fun! International stand up to bullying day was at the end of January. Focused on the freshman at the assembly. Friends of Rachael and upperclassmen led the event. Skyped between WMIS and a few other schools. Last Friday of every month is stand up to bullying day—wear pink. Monday two presentations Being a Parent of an Athlete and then a presentation on Athletic Recruiting. Leadership seminar for Team Captains during the day (7th hour). College Night is Thursday, February 27th.

<u>New Business:</u> Teacher Grants, FCCLA Regional Competition from Mrs. Wasileski. Asking for \$140 for transportation, registration fee for competition & lunch. We need to hold until next month as we do not have a quorum.

Meeting adjourned at 7:35 pm. Next Meeting is March 19 at 6:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted by,

Gena Kraemer, Secretary Nathan Hale PTSA